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In re the Application of

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For: METHOD OF PRODUCING OPTICALLY ACTIVE AZIRIDINE COMPOUNDS AND  
AMINE COMPOUNDS

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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- ☒ 1. This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed (a) within three months of the U.S. filing date of this non-CPA application, OR (b) before the mailing date of a first Office Action on the merits in the present application. No certification or fee is required.
- ☒ 2. Relevance of the non-English language reference 2 is discussed in the present specification.
- ☒ 3. The references 1-4 were cited in a counterpart foreign application. An English language version of the foreign search report is attached for the Examiner's information.

- ☒ 4. An English-language Abstract of the non-English language reference 1 is attached hereto.

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	1	WO 02/076932 A1 w/abstr.	10/30/2002	WIPO			
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	2	Murakami et al., "Ru(salen)-catalyzed asymmetric sulfimidation using arylsulfonyl azide," Tetrahedron Letters 42, pp. 7071-7074, 2001					
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